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## **PRESS RELEASE**

CANAL+ Group has taken note of the French Competition Authority's decision to ease or lift a significant number of the injunctions and commitments imposed in 2012 and 2014, in connection with the 2006 TPS merger and the 2011 acquisition of Direct 8 and Direct Star.

The injunctions and commitments will continue to apply for a period of two years and six months.

CANAL + Group notes this decision, which demonstrates the Competition Authority's partial awareness of the substantial past and future transformations in the pay and free-to-air television markets, marked by the rapid emergence of powerful competitors particularly active in the acquisition of audiovisual rights.

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